



## STINGER SPORTS

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### LAST CHANCE FOR CAGE STINGERS

The Concordia Stingers men's varsity Basketball team will be facing elimination from the Championship hunt in the Q.U.A.A. this Tuesday night (February 14th) when the McGill Redmen visit the Athletic Complex Gymnasium. The Redmen (6-0) lead the Stingers (3-3) by 3 games and with no league playoffs again this season, the Stingers need to win all their remaining games, and hope someone else upsets McGill, to have a shot at first place and a berth in a Regional Tournament.

The Stingers have been hit hard by injuries this season, the most crippling being the loss of All-Star Biagio Carrese for most of the year. Even coach Doug Daigneault was out of action for over three weeks with a pinched nerve in his neck.

Through all of this, however, there have been a couple of bright spots. Sophomore Craig Norman has been consistent averaging 22.9 ppg and has developed into the team leader. Freshman, Neil Walker has also been a pleasant surprise to the coaching staff. Walter is currently the third leading rebounder in the country.

Tuesday is the Stingers last chance and it should be another good one. Game time is 8 p.m..

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